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FM AMEMBASSY MBABANE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6544

INFO AMEMBASSY GABORONE

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AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIN, SA, WZ, US

SUBJECT: SWAZILAND REACTION TO RAND FLOAT

1. IN ITEM CARRIED SWAZILAND BROADCASTING SERVICE
JUNE 21 GOS MONETARY AUTHORITY ISSUED STATEMENT
APPROVING JUST-ANNOUNCED DECISION OF SOUTH AFRICAN
GOVERNMENT TO UNTIE RAND FROM DOLLAR. INITIAL BUYING
AND SELLING RATES FOR DOLLAR ANNOUNCED AS 1.5037
AND 1.4962 RESPECTIVELY TO RAND REPRESENTING RAND
INITIAL APPRECIATION OF .067 PERCENT.

2. QUICK SWAZI APPROVAL PROBABLY MEANS GOS CONSULTED
IN ADVANCE BY RSA. THIS NOT ALWAYS CASE IN CURRENCY
DECISIONS.
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